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Notice to Republican Clubs of W. Va.

It is important that you send the name of your club, together with the number of members and names of officers, to the secretary of the State League, at Wheeling, immediately.

By order of C. D. ELLIOTT, President
JOHN W. KINDELBERGER, Secretary.
(Republican papers please copy and notice.)

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President,
WILLIAM McKINLEY,
of Ohio.
For Vice President,
GARRET A. HOBART,
of New Jersey.

FIVE POINTS ON MONEY.

First—That there is not a free coinage country in the world to-day that is not on a silver basis.

Second—That there is not a gold-standard country in the world to-day that does not use silver as money along with gold.

Third—That there is not a silver-standard country in the world to-day that uses any gold as money along with silver.

Fourth—That there is not a silver-standard country in the world to-day that has more than one-third as much money in circulation per capita as the United States have.

Fifth—That there is not a silver-standard country in the world to-day where the laboring man receives fair pay for his day's work—John G. Carlisle, Secretary of the Treasury.

BRYAN MIGHT HAVE BEEN A BOLTER.

Bryan would have been a bolter had the Chicago convention declared for honest money. He himself said so at Birmingham, Ala., in June, 1895, in these words: "Nothing in heaven above, or on the earth below, or in hell beneath could make me support a gold standard candidate on a gold standard platform."

A Sound Money Democratic Ticket.

Sound money Democrats, recognizing the peril that confronts the country and desiring to do their part to avert a national calamity, are eager to do whatever may contribute to that end. Some of them think that much is to be gained by putting a ticket in the field. Others prefer to take the shorter cut and vote the Republican ticket.

Those who favor a sound money Democratic ticket do so because they think it will attract some Democratic votes that might go for Bryan and because they think it the best way to secure a hearing for sound money Democratic speakers. We are inclined to agree with this view and to regard with favor the proposition to name a sound money Democratic ticket.

Such a ticket will certainly draw votes that might go to Bryan and of course it will give sound money Democratic speakers the opening they desire. And the more they talk sound money and show the results that would follow the adoption of a free silver policy, the more clearly they will make it appear that the surest way to defeat the Chicago ticket is to vote for McKinley.

We do not believe that the sound money Democratic ticket will attract the votes of men who desire above all things to hit the free silver fallacy a blow from which it cannot recover. Democrats who appreciate the full enormity of the free silver proposition will not waste their votes on a ticket that will not have the slightest chance of success and which nobody expects to accomplish anything more than to help along the Republic—sound money ticket.

Speaking of West Virginia, where we understand the conditions better than elsewhere, we foresee a distinct gain through a Democratic sound money ticket. It should insure beyond all question the success of the Republican ticket, and in so far as it shall do this in any state it will accomplish its object. Sound money Democrats are very much in earnest and will do as much as 12-15 cents to sustain the national honor.

The money issue is a business question, it is true, but there may be a business question that lays hold of the national conscience and assumes the form of the highest patriotism. The question of an honest dollar against a depreciated dollar is just such a question, and so we see Democrats and Republicans joining to stand by their country as they would if a foreign foe were seeking a landing on our shores.

We welcome the sound money Democratic ticket as a promise of powerful aid to the right in the contest upon which the country has entered.

Mr. Sewall need not mind the Populist refusal to endorse him. It will make no difference to him in the wind-up. Bryan will go down along with him.

Useful to Know.

The free silver men have not yet made it plain to the rest of us how we are going to get our free silver dollars for less than a hundred cents apiece so long as they may continue to be worth a hundred cents apiece. That is what we want to know.

If we are not to get our 100-cent dol-

lars for less than a hundred cents, where is to be our gain?
If they are not to be easier to get until they are worth less than now, where is to be our gain?

If we are to get them for fifty cents when they are worth only fifty cents, where is to be our gain?
In all the flood of oratory and deluge of literature these simple little questions are not answered. All the same they are vital questions.

Until these questions can be answered satisfactorily to him no voter should cast his ballot for a silver dollar to be coined free for the benefit of the owner of the silver.

Is there any phase of political thought that is going to content itself without a national convention this year?

This Should be Explained.

The silver advocate should begin to explain some things, and they should get at their explanation quickly. For instance, they should explain how it is that an American silver dollar can be exchanged in Mexico for two Mexican silver dollars, although a Mexican silver dollar contains 7½ grains more of standard silver than there is in an American dollar.

In other words, they should explain how it comes that the silver dollar of silver-standard Mexico buys but half as much in its own country as our silver dollar buys there. It is a fact that this is the rating of the two dollars in Mexico, and this is one of the hard facts which the silver champions should explain.

The true explanation is that the American silver dollar is as good as a gold dollar, and it is as good as a gold dollar because the government of the United States keeps it so. If we had the free and unlimited coinage of silver independent of the action of the great trading nations of the world the government of the United States would be under no obligation to hold up the silver dollar to an equality with the gold dollar, and it would not have the power to do it.

This is the difference between the silver dollar coined by the government for the government and in limited quantities, and the silver dollar coined by the government for private persons in unlimited quantities. It is a difference which the advocates of free coinage do not take the trouble to explain, but the explanation is vital.

The Populists accept and endorse Bryan, because he is one of them. They decline to have anything to do with Sewall, because he is a capitalist and a national bank man. The Populists are consistent in this matter. From the Populist point of view Bryan is all right and Sewall isn't.

Mexico, for Example.

Mexico is a silver standard country, and the free silver champions insist that it is a very prosperous country, while our own country is sliding down grade. They lay special emphasis on the fact that the poor are growing poorer in this country.

Well, Mexico is not very far away. It lies slap up against us on the south. Strange that it has not occurred to our wage-earners to rush into Mexico and enjoy some of its great silver standard prosperity. Some of our wage-earners have tried it and come home cured.

The free silver champions should explain away the conditions of labor in Mexico while they are extolling the merits of the silver standard as it operates in that country.

It seems to be much easier to talk about pressing a "crown of thorns on the brow of labor" than to come down to the practical things which make the subject clear to the least informed. Even captivizing oratory is not so much appreciated in the discussion of a business question as a business-like array of the facts which bear on the question.

The cause of free silver is conspicuously weak on facts. Its best hold is "hifalutin" talking.

The Baltimore & Ohio and the Ohio River railroads, which were hit so hard by the storm, have shown great energy in getting their lines once more in running order. Both roads have shown the value of good organization in the hands of alert men.

Where is His Share?

A New Jersey farmer puts some pertinent questions touching the free coinage of silver. We take this much of a lengthy article in the New York Sun:

What we farmers want to know is: 1. How will free coinage help us pay off our farm mortgages?

2. How are we to go about getting our share of silver so simply that even a collator to put up?

There seems to be plenty of money in circulation and it is easily obtainable by those who have something to sell in exchange for it. I cannot see any use in inflating the currency unless I am, in some mysterious way, to get a share of it.

Until these questions are answered intelligently and so simply that even a farmer can understand, I cannot vote for candidates who are dominated by Al-Gold and Tillman; and yet "I am a Democrat." Yours truly, J. C. ALEXANDER.

A New Jersey farmer and ex-store clerk. Hudson county, N. J., July 22.

This man understands the money question well enough to go straight to the marrow of it. No sane and honest man can make such answers to these questions as will satisfy any sane and honest farmer.

The "Crown of Thorns."

It appears that Mr. Bryan not only used his "crown of thorns" on "the bleeding brow of labor" in the house of representatives nearly two years before he caught the Chicago convention with it, but the record shows that the same figure of speech was used in the house of representatives by another nearly a year before Mr. Bryan used it there.

Mr. McCall, a Republican, in a speech delivered January 29, 1891, said: "Ready as you have ever been to betray it (labor) with a kiss, you renege it to the very quick, and press a crown of thorns upon the brow of labor." If the Chicago convention wanted to nominate the author of the "crown of thorns" idea, it should have given Mr. McCall the first choice.

What must he think of another man capturing a presidential nomination

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with his figure of speech? But he will get his sweet revenge when Mr. Bryan gets notice that he is chosen to remain at home and cultivate his talent for borrowing other men's flights of rhetoric.

STATE EDITORS.

Seducing Farmers.

Martinsburg Independent: Politics seem to be run for the purpose of seduction. The silver craze is now presented on a silver platter to the farmers. They are attacked first, because they are the loins, the muscle, the arteries of the whole system of the country. Their products are too low in the market and they should have more.

The panacea offered is free and unlimited coinage of silver. Now, the farmer gets his on top of the ground, and the silver king gets his by digging down into the bowels of mother earth. They are two opposites. Parity is wanted. Silver man says, coin this free, it will be profit of nearly fifty cents on the dollar for me. Then comes the exhortation to the farmer: There are thousands and thousands of farmers, only a few silver mines, controlled by syndicates, and the members live way up high above the farmers, with diamond pins, glittering rings and fine clothes. Will these silver mine owners give you one cent of their product? If they do, with a wheel-barrow, a cart and a cin in even of what the stamp of government on money was worth unless backed by gold—Berkeley Springs News, (Dem.)

It is a lesson that should be heeded by others as well as ex-Confederates. The dollar that is not as good as gold is not good enough for any American and Americans will utterly repudiate Populism and all of its allies. The News is to be commended for the brave stand it has taken for the right.

Lesson of Experience.

Martinsburg Herald: We have a few old Confederates about here, but with one exception they have too lively a recollection of the Confederacy to endorse cheap money. There is in the history of that short-lived government an object lesson of what the stamp of government on money was worth unless backed by gold—Berkeley Springs News, (Dem.)

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The Difference.

Charleston Mail: Jefferson was a genius; Bryan is a superficial phrase-maker. Jefferson wrote the declaration of independence; Bryan has written several speeches for the gallery, unworthy of serious statesmanship and from them built one which caught the fancy of a convention dominated by passion and prejudice—a fatal combination. To use Jefferson in justification of Bryan is to insult common sense and political decency.

A Plain Talk.

Hon. C. B. Hart, editor of the Wheeling Intelligencer, delivered a very able and logical speech on the money question, at the opera house, here, Monday afternoon, to a good-sized audience. It is just such a talk that is needed, plain talk that any one can thoroughly understand.—Ravenswood News.

Just as Absurd.

Cameron World: Bryan's radical free coinage speech in Congress won for him his first notoriety. His free silver ideas are just as absurd as his free wool ideas, and the election of this man who said he was neither a Populist nor a Democrat, the means a continuation of free trade prices for wool and other farm products paid in fifty-two and one-half cent dollars.

All Satisfied.

Moundsville Herald: The Republicans of the state have named a winning ticket. Not a sore place resulted from the convention and all go home satisfied that victory is sure.

The Impossibilities of Bimetallism.

The Forum: In the present state of things, after the experience gained, bimetallism would be nothing but falsification of money. There are several ways of doing that. The old way, now out of fashion, was that of the kings of the middle ages, notably of Philippe le Bel. It consisted in reducing the weight and keeping the nominal value of the coin. A more recent attempt at the daily cheating of the people, who soon saw the fraud and revolted with curses against the king. It was not without justice that Dante made a place for these in his Inferno.

The world of to-day witnesses other ways, more refined, more subtle in appearance, but not less shrewdness and rancor. The most widely adopted, as in most of the South American countries and in a number of those of southern Europe, consists in replacing metallic money by notes which the state issues or causes to be issued for arbitrary amounts. That is falsifying money—there is only a difference of method between it and that of the middle ages. The credit of the state adopting it is injured and its public funds are depreciated. No one has any confidence in the engagements it makes; no long contracts can be made with its people; or at best, minute and often useless precautions must be taken, which render operations very risky.

Bimetallism in the present state of things would be another way of falsifying money, and would have the same sort of consequences. It is proved that silver has lost 45 per cent of its former value. Silver has been quoted in England for the past three years at from 30 to 35s, instead of 60s, which represents the ratio of 1840 to 1 formerly adopted in Europe by the Latin Union. A mass of silver bullion, equivalent to \$100,000,000 to \$120,000,000 market value, has poured out every year since 1893 at this price of 30s to 35s, and the production of silver does not lessen—proof sufficient that this is its real value. And now—when it is shown in the most irresistible fashion that silver is not worth more than half what it was worth a quarter of a century ago—its value as money is to be doubled by law! That would be to cannot be too often repeated—falsifying money in the broadest sense of the word.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gliman Brown, of 33 Mill st., South Gardner, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had lung trouble following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work, a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for lung trouble. Trial bottles free at Logan Drug Co.'s Drug Store.

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SUBURBAN SCHOOLS.

A Plea in Their Behalf—Their Value Undereestimated by Patrons.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer.
SIR:—Regarding your valuable paper as a friend to education and as a means for the advancement of the youth of our county and state, I beg your indulgence for a little space to present to the public school system of our county, outside of the city.

A prevailing sentiment and feeling which pervades the minds of a great number of our suburban fathers and mothers much to the detriment of our graded schools along the pike, is that the graded schools in Triadelphia district are not equipped sufficiently well to teach their boys and girls.

This, in my mind, is a grievous mistake, and I trust some of us will, upon closer examination of our system, the environments and the efficiency of our teachers' patronize and give tone to our home schools.

I believe this lack of appreciation of our schools is due to the lack of information concerning them. Very few, indeed, of our parents know that we have a graded course of study, culminating in graduation upon completion of the course, and the reception of a diploma issued by the state superintendent of schools; but we have, and indeed, as the course is augmented in the graded schools by rhetoric, literature, algebra, physics, physiology, geography and geometry, a course not second to the one in the city of Wheeling.

Then the conditions are more favorable in the suburban schools; there are not so many outside influences brought to bear upon the mind of the child, which eliminates the desire to study and fills the mind with useless and vile thoughts.

A just comparison of the work done in the city and suburban schools ought to convince the most radical city school enthusiast. I have in my mind boys of eleven and twelve who are really advanced to where boys of thirteen and fourteen are advanced in the city schools, and this is said in all kindness to the city educators, but the environments and facilities are better.

Our school board in Triadelphia district is not composed of men with antiquated ideas; they are "up-to-date" men and each year finds new and better equipment in the schools.

Now what we want to do is to patronize the suburban school; encourage the teachers in charge by our support and help make the equipment better by some timely and cordial monetary aid, apparatus, library, etc., exacted from what we will save from motor fare and tuition.

I am yours for the good of the SUBURBAN SCHOOLS.

Triadelphia, July 24, 1896.

NOVA SCOTIA COAL.

Crowding West Virginia Coal Out—How the Wilson Bill Works.

Baltimore American: What is the result? The worst fears are being realized. The Nova Scotia mines are worked in the cheapest kind of way. We have before us a letter to Messrs. Gray, Ireland & Co., ship brokers of this city, from one of the largest firms in Boston, asking for more vessels to carry coals from Louisburgh, the seaport of the Nova Scotia mines, to New England ports. This Boston firm has chartered the largest American schooner afloat for six or more trips, and about twenty other vessels, all of which are filling New England with Nova Scotia coal. Offer us whatever vessels you have large or small," say the Boston men, and they add: "The vessels we have chartered are making round trips anywhere from ten to fifteen days."

The meaning of all this is only too plain. Unless something is done, the soft coal trade is lost to Baltimore and Western Maryland and West Virginia will suffer the consequences along with our coast-wise trade. The true remedy is a protective duty on coal that will really protect. It should be among the first things done by the new Congress. In the meanwhile we must suffer the consequences of the Wilson bill.

The Truth About the Busy Bee.

How doth the little busy bee Improve each shining hour? He gathers golden sweets which he Will never help devour.

For ere the shining hours are fled, He leaves his honey store; The foolish busy bee is dead, And vandals raid his hoard.

New (from the standpoint of the bee), By misdirected industry He misses the sweets of life.

Of course men praise the busy bee, If they didn't 'twould be funny; For when he's stored it, don't you see, They get the b. b.'s honey.

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